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## THE GAZETTE.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4.

The more the Cullom inter state commerce bill is discussed, the less is known about it, except that it is a blind bill.

Governor Oglesby says he will not be in the senatorial contest in Illinois. That is well. He couldn't get a corporal's guard to support him. Neither a political trimmer nor a moral coward has any right in the senate of the United States.

The republicans of the eighth Wisconsin district nominated Joseph G. Thorp to succeed the late W. T. Price in congress.—*Chicago Journal.*

When did the republicans of the eighth district nominate Joseph G. Thorp to succeed the late W. T. Price in congress?

It is noticed that the president's rheumatism is less painful the more bourbons he appoints to office. This remedy was proposed by the New York Sun several months ago, and guaranteed to cure [any administration will become stiff in the knees that will try to ride two horses at once.

A pointer from Washington: "Henry Watterson, of the Louisville Courier-Journal, was in consultation with Murat Halstead Friday night. An evening paper says an alliance of the Courier-Journal, Cincinnati Commercial Gazette, Cincinnati Enquirer, New York Sun, and New York Tribune has been formed to work for the elevation of Blaine to the presidency."

Some men talk too much and too recklessly. It is said that Mr. Grady who spoke so kindly at the New England banquet of the north and the part it took in the rebellion, turns out to be the man who said last spring at Atlanta when Jeff Davis was given a reception, that that day was the most glorious since the birth of Jesus Christ. Mr. Grady, it seems, is trying to see how big a fool he can make of himself.

Hart, the publisher of General Logan's book, "The Great Conspiracy", says that Mrs. Logan's share of the profits in the book will run somewhere from $30,000 to $50 000. It is expected that the death of General Logan will re-awaken public interest in this work, which was peculiarly his own. Mr. Hart says that the manuscript for the work was in the general's own handwriting and that the author was sensitive on the criticisms made in the newspapers on his use of the English language. Hence he did not allow Mrs. Logan to write a line of this work, but did it all himself, mentally as well as physically.

### THE SOUTH IS LOOKING UP.

There was a time when there was a contest waging between the north and the south as to which should be crowned king—corn or cotton. Those days have passed. Neither corn nor cotton is king, and the people of both sections of the country have ceased to take any interest as to which of the two products shall be greatest.

There was a time when the south could boast of only two things—cotton and slaves. There was not at that time a manufacturing establishment of any note in all the south. Aside from the cotton gin, there was hardly a piece of improved machinery for the plantation in all that country. In these things the south was nearly fifty years behind the time when the civil war broke out. In enterprise, education and growth, the south was as unlike the north as if it belonged to a different continent. Freedom made the north strong, progressive, enlightened. Slavery made the south sluggish, weak in educational progress, aristocratic.

But since the civil war there has been created a new south, cotton has done well, but other industries have done well also. In 1885, the south sent 100,000 tons of manufactured iron to the north, and in 1886 the tons shipped northward reached over 140,000. This is encouraging, but it is still more encouraging to note that the entire southern product of pig iron in 1885 was 712,000 tons, while in 1886 the product will not fall short of 1,000,000 tons. The furnace capacity of the south is still increasing, and it is estimated that the product of pig iron in that part of the Union will be at least 1,500,000 tons.

These facts show how well the south is progressing under the free labor system. Under the leadership of Davis, of Tombs, of Benjamin, of Breckenridge and of others who believed slavery was divine, the south was dead so far as developing its resources was concerned, but under the new order of things brought about by republican principles, to which the south was bitterly hostile, that part of the Union has made far greater progress in the past fifteen years than it did in the forty years immediately preceeding the war. There is still room for greater progress in the south. It still needs the aid of protection and needs more cotton to the acre and more manufactories than it does the southern system of politics.

### THE STATE ADMINISTRATION.

Yesterday all the state officers took the oath of office at Madison. On account of the death of General Logan the festivities usually connected with such an occasion, were dispensed with, and the ceremonies were of the simplest character, very much akin, in old democratic principles, to those which caused Thomas Jefferson to ride on horseback, unattended, to the white house, tie his horse to a tree, and modestly walk into the building and take the oath of office. The ceremonies took place in the executive chamber, Postmaster Gregory being master of ceremonies. Chief Justice Cole administered the oath of office. The officers-elect were arranged in the following order: Gov. J. M. Rusk, Secretary E. G. Timme, Treasurer, H. B. Harshaw, Attorney-General O. E. Estabrook, Superintendent of Public Instruction Thayer, Railroad Commissioner Atley Peterson, Insurance Commissioner Paul. Cheek on the west side of the room and as Postmaster Gregory read the name and rank of each officer Chief Justice Cole, of the supreme court, administered the oath of office to each.

After the oaths were administered, the most important work performed at the capitol was the transferring of the books, monies and accounts in the state treasury, to Mr. Harshaw, the new treasurer. The securities in the way of bonds went up into the millions. In one vault tied up behind the door of a vault were $2,250,000, and in another pile adjoining it were $1,500,000. After the count the retiring state treasurer, Mr. McFetridge, received the receipt of Treasurer Harshaw for securities in the various funds mentioned as follows: School fund, $2,231,700 normal school fund, $125,5000; agricultural college fund, $133,500; university fund, $15,000; cash balance turned over and receipted for being $414,477.88; also the cash held in connection with a settlement of the old state bank affairs—$6,738. The whole makes a total of $4,146,935.88, which retiring Treasurer McFetridge turned over and received receipt for, and there was not even as much as the "two cents" missing that was short when the money was counted in the national treasury.

The principal appointments made by by the state officers are as follows:

Executive Office.—Private secretary, Col. Henry Casson, of Viroqua; executive clerk, T. L. Hacker, Cottage Grove, Dane county.

Secretary of State's office.—Assistant secretary, M. T. Park, of Elkhorn; chief clerk, Col. Thomas St. George, of Racine; book keeper, D. H. Tullis, of Madison; first assistant book keeper, A. E. McCurdy, of Madison; second assistant book keeper, W. N. Weilkopf, of Racine; printing clerk, C. A. Leith, of Racine; proof reader and compiler, J. S. Keyes, of Madison.

State treasurer's office—Assistant treasurer, W. D. Harshaw, of Oshkosh; bookkeeper, Col. W. H. Patton, of Oshkosh; correcting clerk, Nic. Konrad, of Oshkosh; deposit clerk, W. B. Hazeltine, of Beaver Dam.

Attorney-General's office—Assistant attorney-general, L. K. Luse, of Stoughton.

Public instruction office—Assistant superintendent of public instruction, Hon. W. H. Chandler, of Sun Prairie.

Railroad commissioner's office—Deputy commissioner, Hon. J. H. Foster, of Kora.

Insurance commissioner's office—Deputy commissioner, Roger C. Spooner, of Madison.

Land office—Chief clerk, Chas. Frickle, of Milwaukee; corresponding clerk, John M. Wing; bookkeeper, Chas. Frantz, of Kenosha; entry clerk, Maj. S. S. Rockwood, of Portage.

Office of superintendent of public property, superintendent, W. H. Bennett, of Mineral Point; assistant, Maj. W. H. Joslyn, of Richland Center.

Adjutant General's Office—Adjutant General, Chandler P. Chapman, of Madison; acting assistant, Capt. F. L Phillips, of Fox Lake, Clerks compiling Wisconsin war records—Col. John Hancock, of City Point.

Quartermaster Generals Office—Quartermaster general, E. M. Rogers, of Viroqua; acting assistant, J. W. Curran of Sparta.

So another republican administration begins its work, under the most favorable circumstances. The state is in a splendid financial condition. It was never any better in its history, in fact, it was never before as good as it is now. All the outgoing officers have discharged their duties well, and the new ones are men of ability and character. In all the Union there is not a better executive than Governor Rusk. He is exceptionally level-headed, conscientious, able and wise, and is an honor to the state. His administration has been remarkably successful and the people of Wisconsin, regardless of party, will not only wish him and his a Happy New Year, but will sincerely trust that the term just beginning will be full of honor. Secretary of State Timme, who is his own successor, has also made an excellent officer. His administration has been singularly efficient and commendable, and there will be a general wish that his honorable and well-merited success shall continue.

#### A Row About Labels.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 4.—Cigar Makers' Protective union No 4 has recently charged Eureka Assembly 4,940 Knights of Labor, composed of cigar makers, with violating the eight-hour rule, with adopting resolutions refusing to allow manufacturers the use of the blue seal of the order unless they discontinue the use of the blue label of the International union, and with seeking to destroy the union and force all cigar makers to join the Knights of Labor. The K. of L. cigar makers will retaliate by declaring war to the knife against the International union. This will place both manufacturer and retailer in a dilemma, and serious trouble may follow. President Strasser, of the International union, has notified Union No. 4 that it is positively known that the blue label is being counterfeited in this city. The matter will be investigated.

#### Charged with Several Swindles.

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 4.—Charles N. Wheeler, of Willimantic, a son of John D. Wheeler, for several years clerk and treasurer of the town of Windham, has been arrested on a requisition of Governor Oglesby, granted by the governor of Connecticut, upon a charge of grand larceny. Wheeler has been a member of a banking house in Chicago, dealing in western farm loans, and is charged with stealing $800 which had been paid him. Deputy Sheriff Swain, who sought the requisition, accuses Wheeler of other crimes, which involve the establishment and wrecking of a bank near Chicago and defrauding depositors of $40,000. Wheeler is very respectably connected.


#### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cent per box. For sale by F. Sherer & Co

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## GONE DOWN AT SEA.

PROBABLE LOSS OF A BRITISH SHIP AND HER CREW.

The Captain and Thirty Men Believed to Have Found Graves in the Ocean—Deadly Railway Wreck on the Southern Pacific—Result of a Leak in the Gas.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The British steamer Cranbrook, which left Newport, England, Nov. 30, for New York, is believed by her agents in this city to have been lost with all on board during the December gales. She was commanded by Capt. Smith, formerly of the British steamship Beaconsfield, and well-known in maritime circles, and had a crew of thirty men. She was valued at $50,000, and her cargo of steel rails at $65,000, all of which is covered by insurance.

#### Nine Mexicans Cremated.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Jan. 4.—It is definitely learned that nine Mexicans were burned to death in the wreck of Friday night, 200 miles south of here, on the Southern Pacific railroad, caused by a collision between a freight train and a construction train.

The men were riding on an open flat-car when the collision occurred. This car was driven under a heavy-laden box-car, on the top of which several others had piled, when the entire wreck took fire, literally roasting alive the Mexicans, who were pinned down on the top of the flat car. None of the bodies was recognizable when recovered.

#### The Gas Had Been Escaping.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 4.—A Youngstown (Ohio) special says: "A terrific explosion occurred at Wick Bros. & Co.'s bank at 7 o'clock Monday morning. Wil. Silliman, book-keeper, opened the vault and struck a match to light the gas jet. The gas, which had been escaping since Saturday, ignited, blowing the side and front out of the building, also the front out of the United Lines Telegraph company's building. Silliman's hair and whiskers were burned off. The damage will amount to several thousand dollars. The injured man is badly burned, and perhaps hurt internally."

#### Made the Shore Safely.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The five men who went duck hunting on Jamaica bay Sunday in two row boats, and who were unable to reach the shore on account of the floating ice, managed late Sunday night to get on shore. The tide loosened the ice and they regained the land in an exhausted condition after five hours of peril. They were from Brooklyn.

#### Crushed by a Fall of Rock.

UTICA, N. Y., Jan. 4.—A Carthage, N. Y., special to The Press says: Richard Ingraham, of Fulton, and Benjamin Benson, of Ogdensburg, were instantly killed, and George Varley, of Carthage, badly injured, Monday, while loading ore cars in the Jayville mines, by a mass of frozen ore and rock falling upon them.

#### Three Killed by a Boiler Explosion.

MEADVILLE, Pa., Jan. 4.—The boiler in Thompson's saw-mill, located five miles south of Geneva, this county, exploded shortly before noon Monday with great violence, wrecking the mill and instantly killing Frank Thompson, a son of the proprietor, and two others, and badly injuring a fourth.

#### A Temperance Victory in Toronto.

TORONTO, Jan. 4.—The keenest contest for the mayoralty that ever took place in Toronto, was that of Monday, between Mayor Howland and David Blaine, ex-member of parliament. It was a straight fight between the liquor party and the temperance men. Each put forth every effort to win a victory, and it was asserted that the liquor men had received considerable financial assistance from sympathizers in the United States. The result has been a complete victory for the temperance mayor, Howland being re-elected by a majority of 2,277 or 559 over his majority of last year.

#### Hanging Too Good for Them.

GALENA, Ills., Jan. 4.—Miss Anna Scheller-De Bual, a highly respectable lady, 18 years of age, daughter of Col. U. G. Scheller-De Bual, engineer on Gen. Grant's staff during the war, was assaulted by three unknown men, supposed tramps, three-quarters of a mile from town, at about 11 o'clock Monday forenoon, and outraged in a most shocking manner. After accomplishing their fiendish purpose the villains decamped. Officers and citizens are in search of them, and if caught and identified we are likely to have a hanging-bee on short notice in Galena.

#### Fotheringham to be Cleared.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 4.—It is stated on good authority that indictments have been found and will be returned against Fred Wittrock for "forcibly" robbing Fotheringham, the express messenger, and against Weaver and Haight as accessories. The prisoners will be arraigned, plead guilty and be sentenced. It is understood that the sentence will not be so heavy under this course as if the case went to trial. This programme will have the effect of clearing Fotheringham, in whose case a nolle prosequi will most likely be entered.

#### The Huddock Assassination.

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, Dec. 4.—In the district court Monday John Arensdorf, Fred Muenchrath, Jr., Paul H. Leader, Harry Sherman, and Albert Koschnitski pleaded not guilty to the charge of murder in the Huddock case, and were given further time to plead on the charge of conspiracy. Sylvester Granda pleaded not guilty to the charge of conspiracy and murder. Granda filed an affidavit of inability to procure counsel, and Judge Isaac Pendleton was appointed to defend him.

#### "Removing" a Witness in Texas.

COTULLA, Tex., Jan. 4.—George Hill, a wealthy and influential citizen, was assassinated Monday night. He was to have been a leading witness in the coming trial of the supposed murderers of Sheriff McKinney. Before he died he was able to state that the men who shot him were Capt. Silas Hay and Frank R. Hall. McKinney was Hay's son-in-law. Officers are searching in all directions for Hay and Hall, who fled after the killing of Hill.

#### "Cultuah" Will Tell.

BOSTON, Jan. 4.—The new city government was inaugurated Monday. In his address Mayor O'Brien said a few words of the labor movement. He accorded much credit to Boston workmen in that their demands have not been attended by unlawful acts that have disgraced the movement in other cities. He says that the labor question can be settled only by legislation, and professes himself desirous of co-operating with workmen to that end.

#### No Increase of Wages To Be Asked.

MARLBORO, Mass., Jan. 4.—The shoe factory of John O'Connell & Sons shut down Monday morning for two weeks. The firm states that work is very scarce, and that more money can be made by closing than by running. From the Knights of Labor comes the authentic information that no increase of wages is to be asked for this winter in any shoe factory.


WHEN VERY YOUNG CHILDREN are deprived of their natural nourishment, it is difficult to procure a proper substitute therefor; hence the alarming mortality among infants. Mellin's Food, which is recommended by the highest medical authorities, has been prepared to meet this very want.

**Can't Sleep** Nights is the complaint of thousands suffering from Asthma, Consumption, Coughs, etc. Did you ever try Acker's English Remedy? It is the best preparation known for all Lung Troubles, sold on a positive guarantee at 10c., 50c. Prentice & Evenson, opp. postoffice.


## FATAL COLLISION.

The Baltimore "Limited" Collides with a Freight in Ohio.

Nineteen Bodies Taken from the Wreck.

Special to the Gazette.

TIFFANY, OHIO, Jan. 4—The Baltimore & Ohio "limited" express No. 5, due in Chicago at 8:55 this morning, collided with a freight train near this place early this morning. Already nineteen bodies have been taken from the wreck. Many others are severely injured. Three coaches were burned to ashes. Physicians were immediately dispatched from Tiffany to render aid to the victims.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4—Reports have been received here that an "Owl" train on the Boston and Albany railway was wrecked this forenoon at Westfield, Massachusetts and the mail car destroyed by fire. It is reported that four or five people were killed, and about twenty injured.

### SENSATION AT MASS.

A Roman Catholic Priest Grows Very Indignant Over a 10-Cent Contribution.

BOSTON, Jan. 4.—In Milford, on Christmas morning, the wife of Capt. John C. Berrill, of the state militia, attended the 9 o'clock mass, and soon after the collection was taken up she was ordered to leave the church by the Rev. Father Cudihy. The 9 o'clock mass is a children's mass, and the service is held in the basement of the church. Mrs. Berrill says there were other grown persons in the audience. Mrs. Berrill put 10 cents on the contribution plate when it was passed. Others sitting near by put on $1. "Father Cudihy asked me if I put 10 cents on the plate," said Mrs. Berrill. "I told him that I did. He took me by the shoulder and told me to leave the church." Mrs. Berrill says that she shall not go again to St. Mary's church while Father Cudihy is the pastor. The Milford Gazette prints the following letter from the venerable priest of the Milford parish:

JOHN C. BERRILL: I have seen your wife Mary C.'s card in The Journal, and think her husband must be a very mean man to send his wife to church on Christmas day with only 10 cents to pay her priest his dues. You are a military officer, I believe, and how would you like to get only 10 cents for your distinguished services to your country for one year? You are a bootmaker, earning good pay, and would reject with scorn and indignation an offer of wages that would degrade your labor as a mechanic. Now, Mary C., your wife, if not wholly demoralized and perverted by marrying a Protestant, ought, when she does come to church—once a year, on a Christmas—try to behave herself like any other Catholic, contribute to the support of her church, and not plead poverty, nor pay her pastor with abuse like an infidel. If your wife, Mary C., is not willing to contribute more than 10 cents, then you may take her to your Bible religion, as you have already taken her to your bosom, and the Catholic church will not suffer any great loss in her absence.

### BIG RAILWAY SUIT DECIDED.

The Nickel-Plate Road Ordered Sold on a Mortgage.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 4.—Judges J. M. Jones and E. T. Hamilton decided the Nickel-Plate railroad case, Monday morning. Suit was brought against the New York, Chicago & St. Louis railroad company by the Union Trust company of New York, trustees for the second mortgage bondholders for $10,000,000. The court held that the first mortgage held by the Central Trust company as trustees, was illegal and that the bondholders under that mortgage are general creditors to the amount of $15,000,000. The court also ordered the sale of the road under the second mortgage, which amounts to $10,000,000. The validity of car trust certificates, amounting to $4,000,000, was affirmed, and separate sale of equipment under these certificates was ordered. It was claimed that the consolidation of five state corporations into the Nickel-Plate was illegal. The court declared that the consolidation was illegal in two respects, but the corporation was a corporation de facto, and had a legal right to execute the mortgages. It was also held that neither the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad or the judgment creditors of the Nickel-Plate have liens by virtue of their judgments, and their only interest is as creditors to the extent of their judgments. The decision is a Vanderbilt victory, and will be appealed.

### GEN. LOGAN'S SUDDEN DEATH.

Is a great shock to the nation. Few knew that he was even indisposed when the news of his death flashed over the wires and thousands of people stood aghast at the sudden change from health and vigor to cold and silent death. For the past 25 years there has been no man more constantly before the public than General John A. Logan. Through all his career he has been noted for his fearlessness and purity of character, both in public and private life. Loved by friends and respected by enemies he will be mourned by all.

His death adds another to the long list of victims to sudden and acute rheumatism. Probably no disease is so common as rheumatism, none is more sudden or dangerous, and there is certainly none which so completely baffles medical skill.

Only one remedy has yet been discovered which is a sure and safe cure for rheumatism and its twin disease, neuralgia, and that is Athlophoros. In thousands of cases Athlophoros has proved a quick and certain cure for these diseases. In connection with Athlophoros Pills it has never yet failed to speedily effect a cure.

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For the next thirty days at
REDUCED PRICES!
And on approved credit give
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Now is your opportunity. Avail yourself of it early, while the assortment is unbroken.
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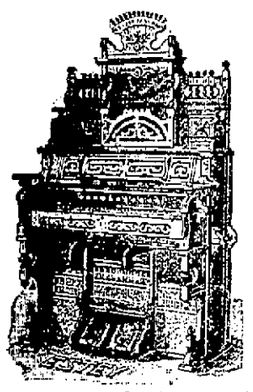
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1887.
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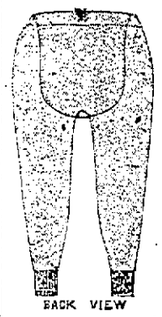
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Never advertises a "Bargain Sale," "50 Per Cent Reduction," "Sample lots" We think our customers are too intelligent to give them any such taffy, we however quote our prices and all we ask is for the buyer to examine it, compare it with our competitors' prices, and we are satisfied your verdict will be The Chicago Bargain Store

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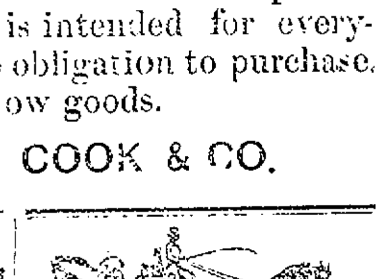


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## COMMITTEE RESEARCHES

INTO MATTERS CONNECTED WITH GRAIN TRANSPORTATION,

**And How the Price of Wheat Is Affected Thereby—A Leaf from the Treasury Books—Colman with His Back Up—The Outlook in Congress—Agricultural Legislation.**

WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 4.—Senator Aldrich made public Monday night the report of the senate committee on transportation routes to the seaboard on the subject of railroad freights in the United States and foreign countries. The report contains tabulated statements of the progress in production and transportation in the principal countries of the world. Efforts were made by the committee to group together the average yearly prices of grain at the various grain centers of the United States for a series of years, and to show the difference in price per bushel at various points between these geographical sections, which would represent in a measure the freight and the tendency of the rates of freight charges. It is shown, for example, that the difference in the prices of corn between the Atlantic ports and the lake ports has steadily declined from 21 cents per bushel in 1873, to 10 cents per bushel in 1883; between the Atlantic ports and the western river ports, from 19 cents in 1873, to 11 cents in 1883.

An attempt was made by the committee to ascertain the rates of freight from the principal intermediate points to the seaboard, and also from the intermediate points to the principal cities of various states. The investigation was conducted in hopes of ascertaining facts in regard to the difference of rates charged for long hauls and short hauls, and to throw light upon the vexed question of long and short hauls. In relation to this inquiry the committee says:

If the returns from which the above summary is constructed may be relied on (and the committee has been careful in selecting only returns that appeared on their face correct), the rates charged for local freight are evidently levied on the somewhat general principle of what the traffic will bear. In Massachusetts, when terminals are taken into consideration, the cost of transporting a bushel of wheat is more nearly equitable than in any other state represented in the summary. Still we find the anomaly of a lessor rate for thirty-six miles than for fifteen miles. In Pennsylvania local rates are higher than in Massachusetts. In Ohio the rate is about the same on sixty miles as it is on ninety, while the long haul of 216 miles, instead of being relatively less, is relatively greater. In Massachusetts in 1883, it cost 4.6 cents to transport a bushel of wheat sixty-four miles; the cost in Connecticut for transporting the same quantity of grain sixty-two miles was 7 cents; in Pennsylvania, sixty miles, 4.2 cents, and in Ohio, sixty miles, 5 cents. Of course the conditions may not have been the same. Further west we find Kansas paying 4.2 cents per bushel for transporting a bushel of wheat forty miles, and Massachusetts for the same service, thirty-six miles, 2.3 cents, while California pays 5.8 cents per bushel for fifty miles.

Turning from the United States to foreign countries the committee shows the production and consumption of cereals in Europe, and brings out the fact that the increase in population has been relatively much greater in the great grain producing countries than it has been in the grain buying countries. The United Kingdom appears to have purchased about two-thirds of all the wheat the United States exported during this period, and therefore special attention has been given to England's supply of wheat. For this purpose a table was prepared giving a summary of the wheat imported into the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland from various countries during the period (7 years), from 1836 to 1842 inclusive, and the decades from 1843 to 1882 inclusive, showing the total importations of wheat and the proportions furnished by the United States, Russia, Germany, British North America, Egypt, France, Denmark and all other countries. In commenting on this table, the committee says:

A glance at this summary not only shows the rapidity of the agricultural growth of the United States and its importance as a food exporting country, but it also presents some of the economic changes that have taken place in Europe. In the first period the United States supplied less than 1 per cent of the wheat imported into the United Kingdom, in the last period it supplied nearly 54 per cent; from less than 1,000,000 bushels it increased by a series of leaps and bounds to about 500,000,000 bushels. Excepting the rapid growth of imports of wheat from India (which does not appear in this table, India being classified under "all other countries,") there is no instance in economic history of a growth so rapid.

One of the most important features of the report is the showing in tabular form of the prices of wheat for a series of years in the principal countries of the world. These tables show that "the average yearly price of wheat is lowest in India, ranging from 85 cents per bushel at Calcutta to $.102 at Bombay, between 1878 and 1883. Russia comes next, the average for the decade being $1.28 per bushel at Warsaw; $1.17 per bushel at St. Petersburg, and $1.15 per bushel at Odessa. In the German empire the price varies somewhat, according to location. The free port of Bremen appears to enjoy the lowest price—$1.55 per bushel—and Stettin, on the Baltic, the highest—$1.70 per bushel. The average price of wheat at the principal grain port of England was exactly $1.50 per bushel. Rouen and Nantes are the cheapest wheat ports in France, namely: $1.48 per bushel and $1.59 per bushel respectively.

Important facts are brought out in the report relating to ocean transportation and the comparative cost of freight from India, Russia and the United States to Great Britain, and a table is given showing, in comparison, the rates of freight for cereals during a series of years from the three principal ports of British India, the great northern and southern ports of Russia and the Atlantic and Pacific ports of the United States, to Great Britain. Of this table the committee says in part:

The general fact, and the one of greatest importance to the United States, is the steady decline in the cost of transportation and the possibility that, with increased freight to carry, the rates between Europe and the most important and nearest ports of India (Kurrachee and Bombay) will continue to decline. Should this tendency continue, it will not be long before the cost of carrying wheat from India to Continental Europe and the United Kingdom will be as low as between the Atlantic ports and those markets.

### CONDITION OF THE TREASURY.

**National Debt Reduced Over $9,000,000 in December—Income and Outgo.**

WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 4.—The reduction in the national debt during December amounted to $9,358,202, and for the first six months of the current fiscal year, $47,157,857. The net cash balance in the treasury on Jan. 1 was $42,190,622, against $40,693,556 on the 1st of last December. The gold coin and bullion fund balance in the treasury on Jan. 1 was $170,912,413, against $163,000,229 a month ago. The store of standard silver dollars now aggregates $185,506,288, about $3,500,000 more than on the 1st of last December.

Customs receipts for December were $16,381,870, or about $2,000,000 more than in December, 1885. Internal revenue receipts were $9,513,845, about $50,000 less than in December, 1885. Government expenditures during December were $18,483,718, or about $8,500,000 more than in December a year ago.

The total revenue from all sources for the first half of the current fiscal year, ended Dec. 31, 1886, was $180,683,037, or nearly $14,000,000 more than during the first half of the preceding fiscal year. Expenditures for the first half of this year were $144,401,548, against $130,045,733 during the first half of 1885-86. These figures indicate a net revenue, or excess of receipts above expenditures, amounting to $36,000,000 during the first half of the current fiscal year.

### COLMAN'S PHILLIPPIC.

**He Says the Illinois Officials are Inviting a Cattle Plague.**

WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 4.—Commissioner Colman has written a salty letter to Gov. Oglesby, of Illinois, severely animadverting on the conduct of the Illinois live stock commissioners of that state, who he says have violated the regulations of the department in many particulars, but especially and most recently in permitting the Shufeldt sheds, which he describes as pest holes, to be refilled with healthy cattle without proper disinfecting operations. He acquits the governor of any intention to do other than obey the regulations, and expends his wrath on the commissioners, who, he says, required unprecedented length of time last fall before they could come to any conclusion in a case where promptness was of greatest importance. He closes as follows:

I would respectfully suggest that you cause the order of the board in regard to refilling of the Shufeldt sheds to be revoked; that the cattle in these sheds be immediately slaughtered, and that this department be given the opportunity to practice such disinfection as is desirable and possible under the circumstances. I make this suggestion on behalf of the great cattle industry, for the protection of an important part of the nation's food supply, and on behalf of an unrestricted commerce, which are together threatened through this lack of co-operation with the department of agriculture on the part of the board which represents your state.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Mr. Shufeldt, when spoken to concerning Mr. Colman's letter requesting Governor Oglesby to revoke the contract entered into, said he did not feel at all concerned. He saw no reason why the governor should pay any heed to the request, as all possible risk had been assumed by the distillery company. It had placed $40,000 worth of cattle in the sheds, and felt there was no danger. Had there been it would never have made the experiment.

### LEGISLATION FOR FARMERS.

**Three Bills That are Considered Important—Effect of the Oleo Bill.**

WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 4.—Mr. Joseph H. Reall, of New York, president of the American Agricultural and Dairy association, who has come to Washington to further certain agricultural measures in congress, and to invite the president to be present at the association's national convention, said to a representative of The United Press, Monday, that there were three important agricultural measures now before congress, the department of agriculture bill, the animal industry bill, and the agricultural experiment station bill. The most important one, he said, was the first. It was of paramount importance that the agricultural interests of the country have representation in the cabinet. It was certainly time that industries in which over 54 per cent of the population are engaged in, and from which 74 per cent of the taxes are paid should have direct representation in the government of the nation.

Referring to the oleomargarine bill, Mr. Reall said that it was growing in popularity with the dairy men every day. The law has already proven itself to be the most useful piece of legislation ever enacted by congress in the interests of agriculture, and a move in the right direction in the protection of consumers from the adulteration of food products. Good authority warranted the statement that $1,000,000 have already been saved to the dairymen of New York state alone, and a similar comparative gain to those of other states.

### CONGRESSIONAL PROSPECTS.

**No Much Show for Anything, Except Appropriation Bills.**

WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 4.—But fifty-one working days remain of the Forty-ninth congress. Only one appropriation bill—the urgent deficiency—has been passed by both branches of congress, and only one other appropriation bill has passed the house, and that is the sundry civil, now before the senate committee on appropriations. Two or three days will be consumed by delivery of eulogies on deceased senators and members. With so much to do on appropriations, it is generally believed that little else will be attempted. Certainly nothing of importance will be begun until they are out of the way. There are features in the appropriation bills which will call out a great deal of debate, and the importance of commencing on them at once, so as to have the margin of time on the safe side, is readily recognized and fully appreciated by nearly all members.

The president Monday approved the bills to extend the free delivery system of the postoffice department, and to modify the postal money-order system; also the act providing for a public building at Springfield, Mass., and the act for the relief of the survivors and relatives of victims of the Jeanette arctic expedition.

**Phillip Armour on the Boycott.**

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Mr. P. D. Armour was asked how he thought the boycott would affect his business. "Never heard of it until this morning," he said, "but we have been doing an increased business for some weeks past, and began to suspect that something of the kind was up. Why, a boycott helps business; we gain ten orders where we lose one, and every one seems to be in sympathy with any one against whom a boycott is declared. No, sir, it is no weapon for this country, and the American people will not countenance any such procedure. Are my workmen concerned in it? Well, I really can't say. I havn't inquired into the matter in that direction."

**Scene in an Irish Court.**

DUBLIN, Jan. 4.—During the trial at Loughrea Monday of Roche, the chairman of the Woodford Tenant Defense society, for conspiracy and interference with bailiffs in the discharge of their duty, the defendant's solicitor strongly animadverted upon the conduct of Police Inspector Davis, whereupon Davis sprang to his feet, rushed at the solicitor and declared that he would wring his head off if it were not that he was in the presence of the court.

**Willing to Sacrifice Themselves.**

LONDON, Jan. 4.—Goschen having accepted the chancellorship of the exchequer, Sir Richard Assheton Cross and Lord Iddesleigh have offered to resign their places in the cabinet to make room for Mr. Goschen's nominees.

**The Oleo Law Constitutional.**

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 4.—The state supreme court, in an elaborate opinion by Judge Sterrett, Monday, sustains the constitutionality of the "Oleomargarine act."

**London's Jubilee Tower.**

It is intended to construct a large tower in London in commemoration of the jubilee year of Queen Victoria's reign. This tower is to be 440 feet high at the extreme top, from which may be seen eight or nine counties. It will overlook every other structure yet built in London. It is proposed to set the structure at the top of Oxford street, where the ground lies high.—New York Sun.

**Heroic Dissipation.**

Young men who do not belong to the idle class, and yet will go to balls and parties, "turn in" directly after dinner, sleep till 11, then take a "bawth," dress and appear on the field of battle at 12 as fresh as daises. This is what I call heroic dissipation.—Cor. Boston Herald.


Those who believe that nature will work off a cough or cold should understand that this is done at the expense of the constitution. Each time this weakens the system, and we all know that the termination of this dangerous practice is a consumptive's grave. Don't take the chances, when a fifty cent bottle of Dr. Bigelow's Cough Cure will safely and promptly cure any recent cough, cold or throat or lung trouble. Buy the dollar bottle for chronic cases or family use. & Evenson, opposite postoffice.

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### CONDENSED NEWS.

The Chicago board of trade re-elected A. M. Wright president. Nearly 1,000 votes were cast.

The assembly of Bogota has passed a bill to give to the highest bidder the exclusive right to sell salt in Panama.

The Berlin postoffice employed 2,000 extra men for its New Year delivery, when over $4,000,000 letters were handled.

The failure is announced of Upton & Co., dealers in agricultural implements at Cedar Rapids, with liabilities of $75,000.

So firm is the ice in the St. Lawrence that teams are crossing between Kingston and St. Vincent, a distance of twelve miles.

Four men were killed and thirteen injured by an explosion of gas in Cambridge barracks at Portsmouth, Eng., Monday.

J. H. Haverly has been released by Judge Shepard on a writ of habeas corpus from detention by a firm of private detectives in Chicago.

Russia has obtained from the Horseuts, of Paris, a loan of $75,000,000, with which to cut a direct water route from the Don to the Black sea.

The steamer La Champagne sailed from New York on Christmas day and landed her passengers in Havre on New Year's day. The feat is an unprecedented one.

Mrs. Logan has expressed to an intimate friend of her late husband her opposition to the burial of the remains in the space set apart on the lake front, and her willingness to accept a location along the south parks or boulevards.

The vault in the bank of Wick Brothers & Co. at Youngstown, Ohio, became filled with gas during the double holiday. When a match was struck, there occurred an explosion which tore out the front and side of the building and seriously burned the bookkeeper.

The Paris correspondent of The London Times again asserts that Russia and Germany have concluded a direct alliance, binding the former to remain neutral in the event of war between France and Germany, and the latter in a possible conflict between Russia and Austria.

A girl at Piper City, Ill., sent 3 cents to a Chicago notion house just before Christmas, for an elaborate wax doll. Her letter was so amusing that it was handed to a postoffice inspector. The clerks in the office made up a purse of $5, and forwarded a doll which must have exceeded her anticipations.

Receiver Cooley has appointed William Duncan general traffic manager of the Wabash lines under his control; K. H. Wade, general superintendent, and G. W. Stevens assistant; S. W. Snow, general passenger agent; F. J. Whitney, auditor, and W. B. Corneau treasurer. The general officers will be located in Chicago.

**A Few Vienna New Year Crimes.**

VIENNA, Jan. 4.—Among the many tragedies occurring here New Year's day were the death of a young opera singer, a beautiful girl of 18 years, who was stabbed to the heart by a rejected suitor; the fatal shooting of his sweetheart, a young actress, by a prominent postoffice official, who afterward committed suicide, and the suicide of an unknown man and woman, who jumped into the Danube and were drowned. On the same day a wealthy land-owner, in Pesth, who had been married but a week, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head.

**Bishop Potter's Funeral.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The funeral of Bishop Potter will take place Friday next. The Episcopal service for the dead will be chanted in Trinity church at 10 a. m. Bishop Doane, of Albany; Bishop Coxe, of Buffalo; Rev. Dr. Morgan Dix, rector of Trinity, and the Rev. Dr. C. E. George, rector of Trinity chapel, will officiate. At the conclusion of the church service a special train will convey the funeral cortege to Poughkeepsie, where the interment will take place in the old cemetery.

**Andover Heresy Case.**

BOSTON, Jan. 4.—The hearing of the Andover heresy case was resumed, Monday morning, Professor Tucker answering the charges against him. Professors Harris, Hincks and Churchill followed in their own behalf, after which the hearing was adjourned sine die. As all the proceedings in the trial must be put in print, a considerable time must elapse before a decision can be reached.

**New Men in the Breweries.**

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 4.—At the office of the Brewers' association it was stated Monday that over fifty applications had been received during the day from men willing to take the places of the striking employes. Secretary Crowell, of the Brewers' association, said: "The situation is getting better every hour. We are getting new men and are filling the places of the strikers."

**Chicago Loses a Crack Pitcher.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—A dispatch from Baltimore states that Edward McCormack, the winning pitcher of the Chicago team, has signed a contract to play with the Cincinnati club for the coming season, his release having been purchased by President Stearn, of the Cincinnati club.

**Everybody Can't be an Expert.**

LEBANON, Ohio, Jan. 4.—The case of Dr. Darby, who refused to testify as an expert in the Green murder case unless he received an expert's fees, and was jailed for contempt of court, was decided, Monday. The court held that the doctor was liable for contempt, but reserved sentence.

**John Roach Dying of Cancer.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—A member of John Roach's family stated Monday night that Mr. Roach is dying of cancer.

### THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 3.

The following were the quotations on the board of trade to-day: Wheat—No. 2 January, opened 80¾c, closed 80c; February, opened and closed 80c; May, opened 87⅝c, closed 87⅜c. Corn—No. 2 January, opened 37⅝c, closed 37⅛c; February, opened 38c, closed 37⅝c; May, opened 43⅝c, closed 43⅛c. Oats—No. 2 January, opened 26⅝c, closed 26⅜c; May, opened 31⅝c, closed 31⅛c. Pork—January, opened $12.35, closed $12.30; February, opened $12.45, closed $12.35; May, opened $12.90, closed $12.75. Lard—January, opened $6.00, closed $5.92½.

Live Stock—The Union Stock yards report the following prices: Hogs—Market opened fairly active with prices steady; light grades, $4.00@4.00; rough packing, $4.15@4.30; heavy packing and shipping lots, $4.00@5.10.

Produce: Butter—Elgin creamery, 30@32c per lb; fine dairy, 20@25c; fancy roll, 16@17c. Eggs—Strictly fresh, 25@26c per doz; ice house, 20@25c; pickled, 17@20c. Poultry—Chickens 6@7½c per lb; turkeys, 7½@8½c; ducks and geese, 8@9½c. Potatoes—Burbank, Early Rose, and Beauty of Hebron, 45@55c per bu on track; mixed lots, 35@45c. Apples—Good to choice, $3.00@3.50 per bbl.

**Detroit.**

DETROIT, Jan. 3.

Wheat—No. 2 white cash, 83¼c; cash Michigan red, 84c; No. 2 red cash and January, 84c asked. February, 85¼c; May, 90⅝c asked. Corn—38½c. Oats—No. 2, 30c; No. 2 white, 31c.

**Milwaukee.**

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 3.

Wheat—Firm: cash, 79¼c; January, 79¼c; May, 87c. Corn—Dull: No. 2, 37½c. Oats—Easy: No. 2, 26¼c. Rye—Firm: No. 1, 57c. Barley—Steadier: No. 2, 52¾c.


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**Had Become Chronic.**
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**Worth Its Weight in Gold.**
New Alexandria, Ohio.
I was afflicted with inflammatory rheumatism for several weeks to such an extent that I could neither feed nor dress myself without assistance. I purchased a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil and after using two-thirds of it I was entirely cured. I consider it worth its weight in gold. C. E. JONES.

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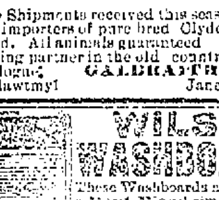


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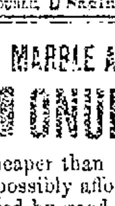


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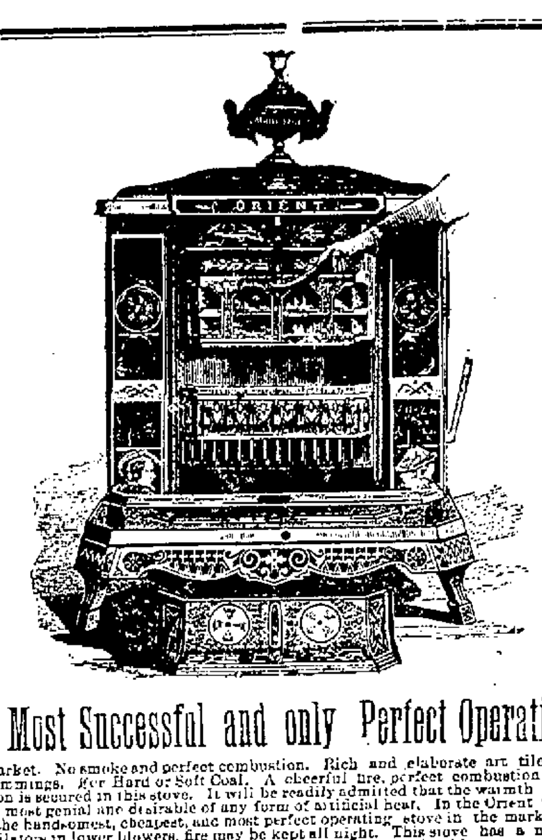



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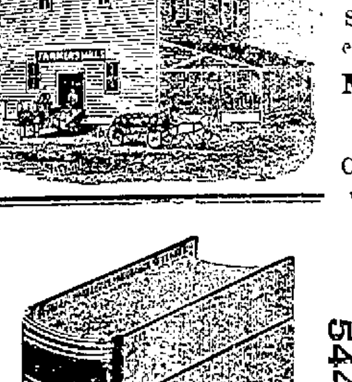



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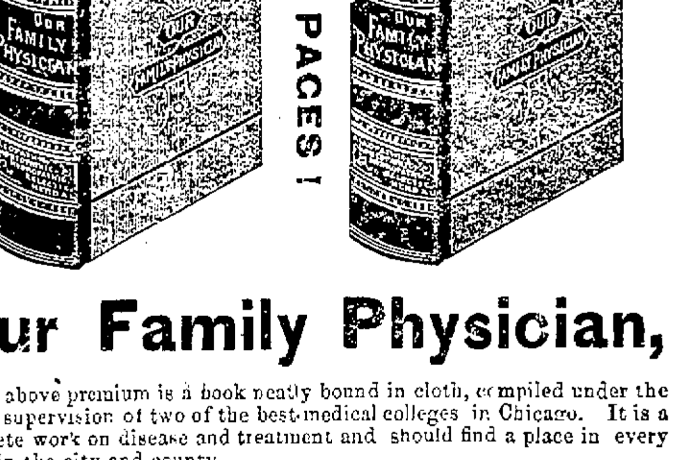



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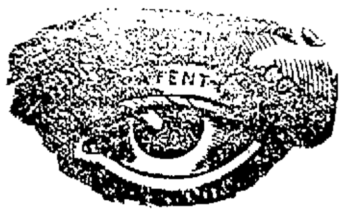


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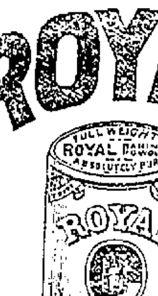


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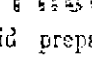

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RAILROAD TIME-TABLES.

Chicago & Northwestern.

Trains at Janesville Station

—DEPART—

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| For Chicago* | 7:00 A M |
| For Chicago* | 12:35 P M |
| For Beloit* | 8:25 A M |
| For Beloit* | 7:30 P M |
| For Beloit, Rockford and Chicago | 2:30 P M |
| For Beloit and Chicago | 1:45 A M |
| For Madison, Winona and Dakota points | 12:30 A M |
| For Winona and Dakota points | 12:30 P M |
| For Beloit Rockford and Chicago | 8:40 A M |
| For Watertown, Oshkosh and Green Bay* | 1:20 P M |
| For Milwaukee* | 1:20 P M |
| For Milwaukee* | 4:15 P M |
| For Watertown, Oshkosh and Green Bay* | 8:45 P M |
| For Madison and St. Paul | 6:2 P M |
| For Beloit and Chicago | 1:5 A M |
| For Beloit | 3:20 A M |
| For Evansville, Madison and St. Paul (new line) | 3:20 A M |
| Madison & Evansville accommodation | 2:03 A M |

—ARRIVE—

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| From Beloit* | 8:25 A M |
| From Beloit* | 9:1 A M |
| From Beloit, Rockford and Chicago | 1:15 P M |
| From Beloit, Rockford and Chicago | 7:05 P M |
| From Beloit and Chicago* | 1:15 A M |
| From Beloit and Chicago | 2:35 A M |
| From Green Bay, Watertown and Oshkosh* | 12:30 P M |
| From Green Bay, Watertown and Oshkosh | 6:55 A M |
| From Chicago* | 8:35 P M |
| From Madison, and Winona | 2:15 P M |
| From Madison and St. Paul | 6:25 A M |
| From Madison and Winona | 2:35 A M |
| From Beloit | 4:50 A M |
| From Evansville, Madison, St. Paul (new line) | 3:20 A M |
| Madison & Evansville Accommodation | 11:15 A M |

* Daily except Sunday. All other trains run daily.

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TRAINS LEAVE.

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| For Milwaukee | 9:50 A M / 12:45 P M |
| For Madison and Portage | 9:40 A M |
| For Madison, Prairie du Chien and West | 4:45 P M / 8:25 P M |
| For Chicago, Beloit, Rockford and Rock Island | 9:45 A M |
| For Chicago, Council Bluffs and West | 11:55 A M |
| For Beloit and Rockford | 6:00 P M |
| For Racine, Rock Island and West | 6:00 P M |
| For Monroe Mineral Point, Platteville and Shullsburg (freight and passenger) | 9:50 A M |
| For Platteville and Shullsburg (mail) | 5:55 P M |
| For Monroe (freight and passenger) | 9:45 P M |

TRAINS ARRIVE.

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| From Milwaukee and Chicago | 5:55 P M / 8:50 P M |
| From St. Paul, Madison and Portage | 9:40 A M / 1:37 P M |
| From Chicago, Rockford and Beloit. From Rock Island, St. Louis & West. | 9:33 A M |
| From Chicago, Council Bluffs and Southwest | 4:44 P M |
| From Platteville, Mineral Point, Darlington and Monroe | 9:36 A M |
| From Mineral Point & Monroe, (mixed) | 4:30 P M |

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Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave, Ky., says he was, for many years, badly afflicted with Phthisic, also Diabetes; the pains were almost unendurable and would sometimes almost throw him into convulsions. He tried electric Bitters and got relief from first bottle and after taking six bottles, was entirely cured, and had gained in flesh eighteen pounds. Says he positively believes he would have died, had it not been for the relief afforded by Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by Frank Sherer & Co.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Farmers on the Pacific coast are busily engaged in plowing.

A board of trade will shortly be established in the city of Chihuahua, Mexico.

The failure of Campanini's voice is said to be owing to his indulgence in whisky and seltzer.

It is alleged that parties in Oregon are canning dog salmon, which are worthless.

An Oregon paper mill gets paper stock and jute butts from Calcutta for the manufacture of manilla paper.

The bachelors at Lulo, Neb., have a club, and they wear safety pins for badges.

Some New Yorkers are preparing to establish coffee houses upon the model of those in London.

Several influential Georgia citizens are making an effort to have the legislature establish a state labor bureau.

The Canadian papers predict an enormous emigration of young men and tenant farmers from the old country to the Dominion.

A farmer of New Hope, Cal., who planted 500 acres in potatoes has had such an abundant crop that he calculates it will yield him $50,000.

The Scotch shawl, instead of overcoat, and the Highland cap and streamers make a fashionable costume worn by some New York society young men.

The publishers of The Century Magazine say that the sales of that periodical have increased over 30,000 copies a month since the life of Lincoln was begun.

M. Galignani's home for broken down men of letters is nearly completed, and this leads to the inquiry, Who wants to found a home for American poets?

A perfectly white buzzard is the curiosity of which Union Springs, Ala., boasts, and the residents of that town are so proud of it that no one will shoot at it.

Jay Cooke, who is now 65 years old, is still an active and energetic worker. He has an office in Philadelphia directly over the bank which he conducted during the war.

Consumptives will think twice before seeking a cure in the glorious climate of California, when they read that an 8-year-old child died at Vallejo a few days ago of consumption.

The North Star Toboggan club, of Grand Forks, D. T., claim to have the longest artificial slide in the world. The trestle is 900 feet long, with a fall of 20 feet in 100 for the first 300 feet.

**A Pugilist's Objection.**

Some recent denunciations of pugilism have revived in print the speech John L. Sullivan made when the authorities of New York city interfered with his joint debate with Paddy Ryan: "The dudes lay each other up playing football, and the women go out and watch 'em pound each other. They killed two jockeys in one week at the Brighton Beach races; but the man that I licked the worst in Madison Square garden was around drinking rum the same evening as chipper as a bull terrier. It ain't a square deal.—Chicago Tribune.

**A Curious Sponge.**

At Apalachicola, Fla., is on exhibition a curiosity in the shape of a sponge. There are fifteen prongs of hollow sponge reaching out like the arms of a devilfish in every conceivable direction from the coned-shape natural stand of coral upon which the main body of the sponge rests, and there are fine particles of coral in each arm or sucker, leading many to suppose from its appearance that if left alone these arms would eventually have petrified and perhaps turned to coral.—Chicago Times.

**Collision Proof Railway Car.**

A patent has been obtained by a gentleman of San Francisco for what is claimed to be a fire and collision proof railway car. It is made wholly of iron and steel, and the weight will range from sixteen to twenty tons for ordinary passenger coaches, and from twenty-two to twenty-five tons for sleepers. The floor is a single sheet of metal, and the roof also a single sheet. The beams are of rolled steel.—Chicago Herald.

**Through a Snow Pile.**

Up on the Elkhorn valley road, during the big drifts of the late storm, an engineer says he took a mile a minute shoot at a huge snow pile and dug a hole through it without jarring his headlight. Stopping at the next station he found the engine's front and sides coated with blood and hair. An investigation showed that sixteen head of cattle had been snowed in and ten of them were killed.—Chicago Herald.

We should economize at all times, but more especially when times are closty Observe the purchases of your thrifty neighbors. More substantial benefits can be obtained from a fifty cent bottle of Dr. Biglow's Cough Cure than a dollar bottle of any other cough remedy. It is a prompt, safe and pleasant cure for all throat and lung troubles. Sold by Prentice & Evenson.

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## THE LEGISLATIVE ARENA.

STATE POLITICIANS GATHERING TO THE BATTLE FOR PLACE.

The Fight in Indiana Opens All Along the Line—Voorhees at Work for McDonald—Situation at Springfield, Ills.—At Other State Capitals—A Silly Lie Nailed—Blaine's Son Talks.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 4.—Party politics is at high tide here, and the contests for the several positions in the lower house of the legislature are very animated and accompanied by considerable bitterness of feeling. The indications all point to the nomination of Warren Sayre, of Wabash, for speaker; W. H. Smith, of this city, for principal clerk; H. U. Wiley, of Benton county, assistant clerk, and C. S. Schrader doorkeeper. The contest between Sayre and Judge Gardner, of Daviess county, is exceedingly bitter, and some regard the quarrel as jeopardizing the interests of the party, as but little harmony can be expected after the fight is over.

Senator Voorhees is here and has held a number of conferences with McDonald's friends, indicating in the most open manner his advocacy of the latter over Gray for the senate. This has embittered Gray and his friends and some people are urging Judge Niblack as a compromise candidate for the senate. The uncertainty regarding the lieutenant governorship contest has weakened Gray, and many of his friends will gladly support any man except the elder English as a compromise between him and McDonald. Both parties held preliminary caucuses, Monday night, but the discussions had reference only to the policy to be pursued in the coming session of the legislature.

**Contest for a Speakership.**

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Jan. 4.—The prominent candidates for the speakership of the state house of representatives are D. T. Littler; William F. Calhoun, of DeWitt; Charles E. Fuller; Messick, of St. Clair; Collins, of Quincy, and MacMillan, of Cook. The Farwell interest is said to be for Littler, while the old Logan influence is rather inclined to Calhoun. About half the members of the legislature are here. Berggren, of Knox, and Wheeler, of Kankakee, are the leaders for president of the senate. The fight for the United States senate is rather quiescent.

At a late hour Monday evening it was announced that Senator Wheeler had withdrawn from the fight for president pro tem of the senate. This leaves Berggren without opposition, and he will undoubtedly be elected.

**"Jined Drives" with the Democrats.**

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 4.—The Republicans of this town were very mad men Monday. The common council stood a tie—thirteen on a side. Monday morning both sides caucussed for reorganization. In the Republican camp Aldermen "Jack" White and "Denny" Doyle wanted to go in and have a secret ballot. The other eleven Republicans, suspecting that they were sold out, refused to go. White and Doyle went with the Democrats to make a quorum and the eleven Republicans left the city hall. The Democrats filled all the offices save six bridge tenders and the assistant porters at the public works, which were turned over to White. White says he was sold out in 1879 and again in 1882, and thought he would turn Mugwump.

**Simply the License of the Press.**

BOSTON, Jan. 4.—A Washington special to The Traveler says: Walter Blaine, who came to Washington to represent his father at the funeral of Gen. Logan, speaking of the story in circulation about Mr. Blaine's contemplated trip to Europe, said: "I think that is what we might call an Irish boom. We have had all kinds of booms of late. This one seems to have as little bottom to it as the others. My father is leading a quiet life among his books and of course, naturally, as any other citizen, takes an interest in public affairs and politics, but a great deal of inventive genius in journalism is being expended in attributing all kinds of impossible things to him. But that is the license of the press."

**The Third Time for Governor Rusk.**

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 4.—In the capital at noon Monday J. M. Rusk took the oath as governor of Wisconsin, the other state officers, all of whom are Republicans, being sworn at the same time. Rusk and Secretary of State Timme are their own successors, having been elected three times successively. Rusk and Gen. Lucius Fairchild alone enjoy the distinction of having been governor of Wisconsin for three terms. All social festivities in connection with inauguration were omitted out of respect to the memory of Senator Logan, with whom Governor Rusk was especially intimate. Few changes will be made in the clerical force under the new administration.

**Ames Did Not Swear In.**

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 4.—The official count of the vote on the state election was made Monday morning. Result on governor was: A. R. McGill, Republican, 107,064; A. A. Ames, Democrat, 101,954; T. E. Childs, Prohibitionist, 8,966; scattering 37. On lieutenant governor, A. E. Rice, Republican, 115,-938; J. Frank, Democrat, 67,928; J. P. Pinkham, Prohibitionist, 9,271. Other Republican officials have majorities varying little from that for lieutenant governor. Mayor Ames was present, an interested spectator of the proceedings, but made no attempt to be sworn in, as it had been asserted he would. He declines to state his intentions in this regard.

**A Stupid Invention.**

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 4.—Henry Watterson's comment on the absurd story telegraphed from Cincinnati, that he had "gone in cahoots" with Halstead and Reid to elect Blaine president in 1888, is that "Such stupid inventions are unworthy of belief. As well might you ask whether I intend to make a leap for a wager from the roof of the Galt house." He said he supposed with Halstead in Cincinnati, as they are old friends who entertain not a single political opinion in common, but can always find something better to talk about than politics.

**Some More Journalistic "Enterprise."**

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 4.—Things were somewhat warm about the governor's office Monday when it was discovered that sections of the governor's message had been stolen and published. It was evidently taken from the printing office, and the result will be that hereafter all important communications will be delivered to the legislature in manuscript.

**Nominated Legislative Officers.**

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Gen. James W. Husted was unanimously nominated by the Republican caucus Monday night for speaker of the assembly. Hon. Charles A. Chickering was unanimously nominated for clerk.

**The California Senatorship.**

SACRAMENTO CITY, Col., Jan. 4.—On account of the failure of the legislature to organize Monday there will be no balloting for United States senator until the 18th of January.

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**Piratical Story from Australia.**

LONDON, Jan. 4.—A story comes in the Australian dispatches that two seamen recently murdered a man on Great Barrier island, New Zealand, and made their escape by seizing a cutter and putting out to sea. The murderers took with them a girl whom they forcibly compelled to accompany them, and intended to go to South America. After being several days out they reasoned that the natural line of pursuit would be in the direction they were taking, and returned to Port Macquarie, New South Wales, where they scuttled the cutter and attempted to reach the interior, but were arrested and turned over to the authorities.

**Rights of Special Depositors.**

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Judge Gresham decided Monday the case of the Nodaway bank, of Maryville, Mo., against Preston, Kean & Co., in favor of the plaintiff. This was a suit brought to recover $12,000 worth of bonds specially deposited with Preston, Kean & Co. by the Nodaway bank, and which were sunk in wheat deals on the board of trade by Frederick M. Ker, the defaulting cashier of Preston, Kean & Co. In deciding the case Judge Gresham held that Preston, Kean & Co. had not used due care in protecting the special deposit of the bank. The case will be carried to the supreme court of the United States.

**The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe.**

BOSTON, Jan. 4.—The report of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad for November shows net earnings of 985,542, a decrease of 11,000 from those of November, 1885. In November last the gross earnings were $1,-719,354, an increase of $115,942 over November, 1885. For the eleven months to November, 1886, the net earnings show an increase of 67,261 over the corresponding period in 1885.

**Striking Jerseymen.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—One thousand men employed by the coal companies on the New Jersey shore, from Hoboken to South Amboy, went out on strike Monday against the reduction of wages ordered by the coal syndicate. The coal boats of the Manhattan Transportation company, at Elizabethport, have also been abandoned by the captains, their demands not having been complied with.

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December 31, 1886

GEO. G. SUTHERLAND, Attorney.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, IN CIRCUIT COURT ROCK COUNTY—S. B. Smith plaintiff, vs. John Moore, defendant.

The State of Wisconsin, to the said defendant

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint.

CARPENTER & McGOWAN,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

P.O. Address, Janesville, Rock Co. Wis.

Dated November 27th, 1886.

The plaintiff's complaint in the above entitled action was filed in the office of the clerk of said court, at the city of Janesville, this December 2d, 1886.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the January term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of January, A. D., 1887, being January 4th, 1887, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of H. F. Bliss, as executor of the last will and testament of Deborah L. Carr, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, for the examination and allowance of his account as such executor, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate in accordance with the provisions of said will.—Dated December 8th, 1886.

By the Court, J. W. SALE,
County Judge.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the January term of the County Court, to be held in and for said county at the Court House, in the City of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of January A. D., 1887, being the fourth day of January, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Emeline E. Joslyn, for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Louisa M. Gowher, late of the city of Janesville in said county, deceased.—Date December 8th, 1886.

By the Court. J. W. SALE,
County Judge.

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NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the circuit court of Rock county, on the 5th day of January, 1887, and at nine o'clock a. m. of that day for an order changing the name of Jane C. Johnson to Jane C. Ransom, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 151, Revised Statutes of Wisconsin.

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Dated Nov 22, 1886. Att'ys for Applicant,
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STATE OF WISCONSIN—CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In the matter of the assignment of McCullagh & Galbraith.

To all creditors of the co partnership of McCullagh & Galbraith:

You are hereby notified that on the 2th day of November, A. D. 1886, the said co-partnership by Martha Dunne and John Galbraith, the copartners composing the same, did at the city of Janesville, in the state of Wisconsin, execute and deliver to me a voluntary assignment for the benefit of the creditors of said co-partnership

That my postoffice address is at said city of Janesville, in the county of Rock, State of Wisconsin, and that every creditor of said co partnership is required to file within three months from the date hereof, with myself as such assignee, or with William G. Wheeler, the clerk of the circuit court for Rock county aforesaid, whose postoffice address is at said city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, on pain of being debarred a dividend, an affidavit setting forth his name, residence and postoffice address, and the nature, consideration and amount of his debt claimed by him over and above all offsets.

ARCHIE REID, Assignee.

Dated December 6th, 1886.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN.—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given, that at the January term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the 1st Tuesday of January A. D. 1887, being January fourth, 1887, at ten o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of William Pratt as administrator "de bonis non" with the will of the estate of Andrew Smart, late of the town of Porter, in said county, deceased, for the examination and allowance of his account as such administrator and for the assignment of the residue of said estate, in accordance with the will of said deceased—Dated December 10th, 1886.

By the Court J. W. SALE,
County Judge.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—COUNTY COURT, ROCK COUNTY.—In the matter of the estate of Hiram Royes, deceased.

Letters of administration having been issued this day to Charles Noyes, and the time for creditors to present their claims for allowance having been limited to the 5th day of July next, inclusive, notice is hereby given that this court, at the office of the judge thereof in the city of Janesville, in this county, at the next regular July term, to be held on the first Tuesday of July, 1887, being on the 5th day of July next, from 1:30 o'clock p. m. to 3 o'clock p. m., will receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.—Dated December 7, 1886.

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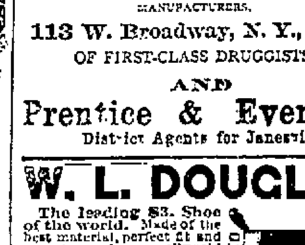


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# THE WATER WORKS.

## Joint Meeting of the Common Council and Citizens.

## Considering the Question of Water Works.

## The Proposition of Bullock & Co. Favorably Considered.

## The Sentiment of the Meeting Decidedly in Favor of a Private Company.

## Preliminary Steps to Be Taken to Adopt the Proposition.

### Opinions of the Leading Men Who Attended the Meeting.

An adjourned meeting of the common council was held last evening, at which His Honor, Mayor Winans, presided, all the aldermen being present except Alds. Fathers and Judd.

The December report of the judge of the municipal court, was presented and referred to the judiciary committee.

The clerk read a miscellaneous batch of bills. Referred to the finance committee.

The clerk stated that he had received notice of the judgment against the city in the Mulcairns case, the same amounting in the circuit court to $2,100.08, and in the supreme court to $08.25.

Ald. Judd took his seat.

Ald. C. C. McLean, of the judiciary committee, moved that the appointment by Judge L. F. Patten, of Wm. D. Gardiner, as clerk of the municipal court, be confirmed. Adopted.

Ald. Croft, of the finance committee to whom had been referred the plan of the water works as adopted by the board of water commissioners, asked for further time to make report. Time granted.

Ald. Croft, of the special committee of one alderman from each ward—Alds. Croft, Thoroughgood, Fathers, George and J. B. McLean—to whom had been referred the proposition of Bullock & Co. for the construction of water works in this city, presented the following:

*To the Mayor and Common Council:*

The special committee appointed by the mayor at our last meeting to consider a proposition made to the city of Janesville by Samuel R. Bullock & Co., for the erection and maintenance of a system of water works in and for said city, find, after a careful consideration of the proposition from Bullock & Co., which in itself gives to the city of Janesville for its exclusive use 170 double-nozzle anti-freezing fire hydrants, of an improved pattern, at a yearly rental of $4,500, (and for the further consideration of water for the use of the city free, as specified in the proposition above referred to) being less than $26.50 each per hydrant for the 170 hydrants on the first 13 miles of mains laid in said city, and the further consideration that all hydrants over and above the 170 first mentioned, are to be at the rate of $25 per annum. We would respectfully ask the common council to take such action as it shall deem best to enable the city of Janesville to contract with some water company for the use of 170 or more fire hydrants, as above specified, of an improved pattern, at a price not to exceed a yearly rental of $4,500; the works to be put in under the supervision of an agent employed by the city and to be of a system embracing both standpipe and direct pressure, the standpipe to have a capacity of not less than 700,000 gallons U. S. measurement.

Ald. Croft moved the adoption of the report.

Mayor Winans suggested that the proper way would be to accept the report and place it on file for future action. The motion was so modified.

The council, at the sugeestion of Mayor Winans, voted to take a forty-minute recess, in order that the citizens present might express their views upon the water works question.

### CITIZENS' MEETING.

The citizens' meeting was immediately organized by the election of Mayor Winans as chairman and City Clerk C. E. Church as secretary.

There was a large attendance of citizens, considering the cold weather and the poor seating capacity in the council chamber.

Alderman T. T. Croft explained that while considering the proposition and making up the report of the committee he had written a letter to Major D. A. Olin, of Racine, to which Mayor Olin had replied. Ald. Croft then quoted from the letter that a private company had already laid 31 miles of pipe in Racine; that the question was put to a vote of the people last March and almost unanimously adopted, and that the works would be ready for trial in a few days. Mr. Croft stated that he thought the proposition of Samuel Bullock & Co. a good one, and it ought to be accepted.

Mayor Winans remarked that this was a matter for the citizens to consider; as the matter now stood the common council could not act on the proposition, and he invited the gentlemen present to express their views.

Mr. H. S. Woodruff remarked that a good deal of time had been spent considering the question of water works, and he thought it had been decided that the city should build and own their works. The water commissioners had spent considerable valuable time in considering the question, and took it for granted that they were as good men as could be selected. There was always some body to oppose any enterprise inaugurated in the city. He thought, notwithstanding this favorable proposition, that the water works should be built and owned by the city. If built by a private company we would be compelled to ask favors of them. Janesville could build the works as cheap as anybody, and operate them. A private company would not come here for the fun of putting in and operating a plant.

A. C. Bates did not oppose water works; he was in favor of accepting this proposition and was opposed to bonding the city to build the works.

Ald. J. B. McLean remarked that when the question of water works was before the council a year ago, a large number of letters received by the Business Men's Association were read before the council, advising city ownership. He asked what had become of these letters? He was not informed.

Ald. T. T. Croft was at first in favor of city ownership. The best proposition received then was $6,500 for 125 hydrants The present expense of the fire department is from $7,000 to $7,500 per year According to the last proposition 170 hydrants will cost $4,500 per year. He thought the extra $3,000 between the cost of the water works and the present expense of the fire department would support two hose carts and afford much better fire protection than two engines taking suction from the river or from the few fire cisterns. The gentleman representing Messrs. Bullock & Co. had informed him that if the city wished to purchase at any time, the franchise would cost them nothing, as it was received without cost. He thought the proposition less than any city could build them, and much less per hydrant than Oshkosh, Fond du Lac, Beloit, Racine or any cities in the state. He was now in favor of a private company.

Captain Pliny Norcross was called out. He remarked that he had always favored a private company, believing it best and cheapest for the city, but had no idea that so favorable a proposition would be made. The whole city should pay for water for fire protection, and private individuals should pay for what they use. It was claimed that the city could run the works and make money out of it. The city had no business to do that. He heartily favored the acceptance of this proposition, and was willing to give $100 to have it accepted now. In his opinion it would cost the city $200,000 to build the works; money could not be secured for less than five per cent., and as a business matter the proposition of the private company was the better of the two. Captain Pliny Norcross thanked the mayor for calling the meeting; and while he had thought the water commissioners had gone very slow, he was now glad that they had, and hoped they would go slower until this new proposition could be accepted.

L. B. Carle responded to calls stating that he had always favored a private company putting in the works. When the petition was circulated last spring he thought the proposition high even at that price. He was in favor of the works either way, but more so by private company. No other city would ever get such a proposition, and he hoped it would be adopted.

M. G. Jeffris had changed his opinion. Last spring he favored city ownership but with the favorable proposition now before the council his mind had experienced somewhat of a change, and would favor a private company. He suggested that even a better proposition might be obtained, and that a committee be appointed to receive bids for the franchise.

W. B. Fritchman, representing Messrs Sam'l R. Bullock & Co., being present, he stated that in regard to the purchasing clause he would make it entirely satisfactory, either by arbitration or in some manner to be hereinafter agreed upon.

A. A. Jackson had always been in favor of a private company, and always opposed to the city owning them. The city government has charge of its municipal affairs. When a proposition of this kind comes up as to what is best for the city to do on the question of fire supply, the question for the council to decide is how we can get the best supply for the least amount of money. He concurred with Mr. Norcross on the question of the people using the water. He wanted to use water but he didn't want to pay for his neighbor's fire protection. He believed it to be unjust, illegal and improper taxation. Every citizen should take what water he wants and pay for it and the whole city pay for its fire protection.

A. E. Burpee responded to loud calls, stating that he at one time favored the city building the works, because he thought it the cheapest. But now, when compared with Bullock & Co.'s proposition, he had changed his mind. If they can furnish water at $4,500 per year, the city had better take it.

Dr. Henry Palmer responded by stating that there had not been a water works meeting in the last thirteen years but what he had been called upon to discuss the question. He had spent considerable time investigating the question, and was in favor of a private company building the works. This proposition was from 30 to 40 per cent lower than any other yet named, and he considered it cheaper than the city could possibly build. He favored its acceptance.

Mr. Jackson inquired if the company would make specific rates to water consumers, similar to the rates at Racine.

Mr. Fitchman replied that he would make a formal proposition with a specific rate for everything, at the prices adopted in any city of similar size which the citizens desired.

Dr. J. B. Whiting did not expect to see a fire hydrant anywhere near his residence, and therefore had not been very enthusiastic in favor of building works; but what was best for the city was best for him. He was surprised at the sudden change in public sentiment, but would be pleased to hear from Ex-Mayors Merrill, Lovejoy, Rogers, and others who were shrewd business men and heavy tax payers, and generally interested in such enterprises. He hoped this question would not be settled in a hurry, but that a public meeting be called in order that the tax payers might attend in larger numbers and be heard. As he now understood the question he was in favor of accepting it.

W. T. Vaukirk had never favored the city building the works. He was the only man who had signed the petition under protest to be allowed to take his name off if the city built them. He hoped the city would accept the proposition.

A. P. Bennett, who favored the city building the works last spring for $90,000 to $100,000; hearing that it was now claimed that it would require an outlay of $200,000 to $300,000, he had changed his mind and favored the new proposition.

C. B. Conrad did not think there had been much of a change in public sentiment; last spring those who favored works by private company signed the petition for the city to build in order to get water works. He was always in favor of a private company and he thought three out of four of the tax payers of the third ward were of the same opinion.

Ed. F. Carpenter stated that when the petition was circulated in his ward last spring, he thought it was a catch. He signed his name, but added, "if built by a private corporation." He was consistent yet, and was glad to see so many of his neighbors and friends coming his way. He was in favor of water works and thought the delay of the water commissioners a God send to the city. He moved as a sentiment of this meeting, that the water commissioners be allowed to resign their positions.

B. B. Eldredge, of the board of water commissioners, who had just entered the room, was called out. He had just come from a meeting of the commissioners which the gentlemen had asked to resign. When he was elected and when the board was elected they were as ignorant of water works as a farmer would be to come into the city and enter into the mercantile business. They had to educate themselves; had to work. They traveled at their own expense and examined these things. They talked with men in cities who owned their works and those who did not. The water commissioners were ready to build water works as soon as they had authority to do it. They had no authority under the law to make any contracts except for the artesian well, which had been done. He thought he had had a great deal better proposition offered to him than the one under consideration. Shortly after he was elected, a man came to him and offered to put in works. He agreed to lay twelve miles of mains and put in hydrants at forty dollars at first, and each hydrant thereafter at thirty dollars. If he got the franchise the speaker was to be the owner of one-third of the works. The contractor further agreed to sewerage the city at his own expense. Mr. Eldredge said he was credibly informed by a man who was respected by all in the community that another man had offered ten thousand dollars in cash. On the receipt of the proposition Mr. Eldredge informed the mayor, Judge Bennett and other authorities, and it would have been his (Eldredge's) evidence against the man who made the proposition on which the latter would have gone to state prison. Down at Rockford they acknowledge their works cost them twice what they should. A year ago pipe could have been bought at $28 a ton; when the board was elected it could have been bought for $34 and $35 per ton. The board tried to get pipe, but could not until November, when it was too late to do anything. He estimated the outside figures on the cost of the works to be $135,000.

Mr. Jackson introduced the following resolution:

*Resolved*, By the citizens present, that they request the common council to procure from Bullock & Co. a proposition for the construction of water works in this city, containing in addition to the amount to be charged the city for a fire supply the specific amounts to be charged for water for private use, and upon what terms the city may purchase the works after five years; and that such proposition be submitted to a meeting of the citizens to be called by the mayor. And they request that the common council withhold its action with reference to the report of the water commissioners now before the council until such meeting of the citizens.

Adopted.

Mayor Winans stated that the result of this meeting would do no good unless it was followed up with other meetings. The council could not give this contract to a private corporation. A majority of the citizens having favored the city's building the works, must now acknowledge that they did not do what was for the best and change their front. If the calling of a meeting was left to him, he would call it at an early day, as there was no time to lose. He also suggested that petitions be prepared to receive the signatures of those favoring a private company, and that they be circulated at the meeting, which will probably be held in the rink, so that as many tax payers as possible can take part.

The meeting and the council then adjourned.

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### Transfers of Rock County Real Estate.

The following real estate transfers were recorded during the week ending January 3, as reported by C. E. Bowles, Real Estate and Loan Agent:

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| Eugene Stevens to Winfield S. Stevens 20 acres in nw¼ of Section 1, Center | 750 00 |
| Harriet C. Sage to Edward Day, nw¼ of nw¼ of section 19, Newark | 2,000 00 |
| Irene B. Cheney to Charles B. Conrad, lot 11 and part of lot 12 in Sinclair's addition, Janesville | 1,100 00 |
| Charles B. Conrad to Orrin D. Bates, lot 11 and part of lot 12 in Sinclair's addition, Janesville | 1,200 00 |
| Joanna Keech to Orrin Keech 10 acres in sw¼ section 30, Lima | 400 00 |
| Joanna Keech to Milo Keech 20 acres in w½ sw¼ section 30, Lima | 00 00 |
| Ella D. Adams to F. J. Fairchild, lot 4 in block 2, in Hanchett's 2d add., Beloit | 1,000 00 |
| William T. Kelley to John Kingsbeck of sw¼ section 26, Newark | 1,200 00 |
| Harriet C. Sage to Orin G. Cox, 120 acres in section 18, Newark | 4,000 00 |
| Edward Day to Rowland Cox, 51 acres in section 18, Union | 1,450 00 |
| August Baumann to Francis Dano, lots 54 and 55, in S. & Bailey's add., and part of lot 35, S. D. & Stone's addition, Janesville | 6,000 00 |
| Francis Dano to August Baumann, west 34 acres of sw¼ of nw¼ of section 26, city of Janesville | 7,000 00 |

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## A CHANGE OF HEART

### As Expressed at the Citizens' Meeting Last Night.

### Shall We Have Water Works by a Private Corporation?

The council room was crowded last evening with a class of representative men who came together to exchange views and discuss in an informal way, the question of water works.

The question which the public had supposed definitely settled, is again brought to the front, by a proposition from a private company to build and maintain thirteen miles of water works, supplying one hundred and seventy hydrants, for fire purposes, at an annual rental of $4,500, making an average of $26.50 per hydrant, with additional hydrants to be furnished at $25 each. This proposition was submitted to the council at its last regular meeting, and the council adjourned to last evening, and invited the citizens interested in it to consider the question, and take such action as seemed advisable. Two classes of men were represented in the meeting; the first, a class who are opposed to water works,—first, last, and all the time, and who thought they saw in the new movement an opportunity to defeat the enterprise entirely. A large majority of those present, however, were in favor of water works, and after a free discussion, the sentiment seemed to prevail almost unanimously that a radical "change of heart" had taken place since last spring on the question of private or city ownership.

A full report of the meeting will be found in another column. When the question of water works was under discussion last winter the Gazette favored private ownership believing that a better service would be provided and at a cheaper rate than the city could supply, and also believing that city ownership, would result in political complications that would be both annoying and disastrous to the city's welfare. When the ground was canvassed a majority of the tax payers favored city ownership and with that object in view a board of water commissioners was elected; the men placed in nomination by both parties were men of integrity and ability Any one of the ten men named would have been satisfactory to the tax payers, the only preference being on the pronounced opinion of early construction by the men elected.

The Gazette endorsed the action of a majority of the tax payers for city ownership, believing that the majority has the right to rule. The paper has sustained the board of water commissioners from the day of its organization, knowing the men who compose it to be honest and conscientious in their work.

Mr. Eldredge expressed the condition of the board last evening when he said that at the time of its organization, they knew as little about the practical business of water supply for a city as a farmer would know about the dry goods business.

This frank admission on the part of Mr. Eldredge is no discredit to the board. Any five men that the city would elect to so responsible a position would be likely to find themselves in the same condition regarding knowledge of water works; the board of commissioners has felt the necessity of being conservative, and because of their deliberate action has been subjected to more or less criticism. The proposition now submitted by Messrs Bullock & Co., of New York, is so much better than anything that has ever been offered the city before on water works that it seems to produce a change of sentiment regarding city ownership. If the meeting last night indicates anything it certainly points in this direction. Whatever is done in the matter it should be remembered that the action of the city last spring in deciding to construct its own works, and the leisurely manner in which the board has proceeded, has resulted in a much more favorable proposition from outside parties than would have otherwise been obtained. The Gazette stands exactly where it did last spring, in favor of water works, but [very much in favor of private ownership. When the city can secure ample fire protection for much less than the annual outlay for the support of her fire department and at the same time provide a system for domestic purposes at a nominal cost, thus saving a large bonded debt with all the attendant evils, there ought to be no room for controversy. The mass meeting to be on Friday evening of this week, will furnish an opportunity to test public sentiment more fully. Unless some unforseen occurrence interferes the Gazette predicts a radical change of sentiment regarding city ownership.

Let us obtain water works and preserve our enviable reputation on the question of city indebtedness.

### Water Works.

Pursuant to request, the tax payers of the city of Janesville are requested to meet at the rink Friday evening, January 7th, at 7:30 o'clock, to consider and determine whether this city shall build and own its water works, or have them built by a private corporation, under a proposition as favorable as that made by Bullock & Co.

JOHN WINANS, Mayor.

January 4, 1887.

### OBITUARY.

MRS. M. C. FISH, AGED 34 YEARS.

Mr. E. T. Fish received a telegram from Chicago this morning containing the sad news of the death of his brother's wife which occurred in Chicago last evening. Mrs. Fish has suffered with a cancer for the past year, the disease assumed a serious type some six weeks ago since which time she has been a great sufferer. She was a member of the Baptist church and a consistent christian. Mrs. Fish will be remembered as Miss Mary Johnson a sister of Mrs. A. Sherman, of the town of LaPrairie. She was engaged for a number of years as a teacher of the deaf and dumb. The family will share the sympathy of many friends in their bereavment.

The funeral services will be held at the home of Mrs. Sarah Fish, 37 Chatham street at 2 o'clock to morrow afternoon. Rev. Dr. Hodge, of the Baptist church officiating.

C. E. Bowles leads in real estate.

### Brieflets.

—Don't forget the snow.

—Newton at the rink to-morrow evening.

—Bower City Band at the rink to-morrow night.

—The water works matter is being thoroughly discussed.

The fire police hold their monthly meeting this evening.

—Lent begins on February 23 and Easter comes on April 10.

—The world's champion bicyclist at the rink to-morrow night.

—The Beloit High school building was damaged $1,000 by fire and water yesterday morning.

—The week of prayer will be observed at Court Street church every evening this week except Saturday.

—Oriental Lodge No. 22, Knights of Pythias, assemble in regular weekly session this evening, at Castle hall.

—Janesville City Lodge No. 90, I. O. O. F., occupy Odd Fellows' hall this evening—regular weekly meeting.

—Western Star Lodge No. 14, A. F. and A. M., regular semi-monthly communication this evening at Masonic hall.

—The Woman's Missionary Society, of the Congregational church, will meet at the church parlor at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday.

—The Salvation Army had a banquet at their barracks last night. After the banquet a jubilee meeting was held at Lappin's hall.

—Mr. F. C. Zahn, formerly of Leavenworth, Kansas, spent New Years as a guest of Dr. C. T. Peirce, of the first ward, and is now visiting Janesville friends.

—Mrs. E. C. Yeomans and children, of Milwaukee, who have been spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Yeomans, South Main street, returned home yesterday.

—M. L. Young, grand lecturer of the Masonic order in this state, will be in the city on Thursday and will attend the convocation of Janesville Chapter No. 5, R. A. M.

—James Hughes, whose injuries received in the runaway on Milwaukee street, necessitated his confinement in the Mendota insane asylum, has been brought back to this city.

—The Woman's Foreign Mission Circle will meet at Mrs. Eugene Lowell's, Wednesday, January 5, at half past three in the afternoon. A large attendance is desired at the opening meeting of 1887.

—The annual meeting of All Souls society will be held at the church parlors Wednesday afternoon and evening. Tea served at 6 o'clock. All members of the society are expected to provide. All are cordially invited.

—J. H. Gateley, last evening, completed his ice harvest for the season, having secured a No. 1 quality of ice in sufficient quantity to fill both of his large ice-houses. The ice on the river is now 11 inches thick in the centre of the stream.

—The jury in the Hackleman case which is now before the municipal court consists of James Menzies, Jesse Crandall, H. P. Fales, J. E. Gleason, Andrew Scott, J. L. Bear, Walter Little, C. M. Church, George Turk, Edward Conly, Amos Crall, and John P. Thomas.

—The three branches of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor in this city will hereafter be controlled by a committee consisting of William Street from the Baptist church, John Gowdey, from the Presbyterian church and Frank D. Jackson from the Congregational church.

—A Madison dispatch to the Milwaukee Sentinel of this morning says: Dr. O. E. Larkin, of Deerfield, Dane county, was fined $50 for violating the pharmacy law, viz, selling poisons without being registered. This makes the eighth case under the law, in which the board has been successful in every case.

—Last September J. C. Burr, of Beloit, made an assignment to J. B. Dow. Since then he has settled with all of his creditors and wants his property back in his own hands. He objects to the expenses incurred by Assignee Dow and the case has been before Judge Bennett in the circuit court to-day for the hearing of testimony.

—A delegation of Janesville Odd Fellows, consisting of District Deputy J. A. Fathers, S. B. Kenyon, C. T. Winslow, Thomas Mahon and Jerome Howland, went to Milton last night, and installed the new officers of Du Lac Lodge, of that place. They will install No. 90's officers this evening; to-morrow evening No. 14's; on Thursday they perform a similar ceremony at Edgerton, and on Friday evening the officers of Rock River Encampment No. 3, this city, will be installed.

—Some of the city school rooms were rather cold yesterday. In one of them the scholars were told not to study until the thermometer showed sixty-five above. Just before school called in the afternoon one youngster noticed that the mercury was steadily creeping up, so when the teacher was out of the room he held a handful of snow against the bulb. She came in, looked at the slender column as it hovered around thirty-four and decided to postpone all work until some other day. That boy will be an alderman if he lives long enough.

—Last evening fifteen of the traveling men living in Janesville met at the Myers house and formed the Commercial Travelers Association of Janesville. R. J. Clemens was called to the chair and W. T. Mayhew made secretary pro tem. The officers of the permanent organization were, president, T. J. Salsman; vice president, C. B. Evans; secretary and treasurer, E. C. Burdick. Several committee were appointed, and the meeting was adjourned until next Saturday evening at the same place. All traveling men are invited to be present and become charter members.

—As was stated some time ago the Baptist church has been reorganized under the revised statutes. Instead of six trustees as formerly it now has seven and last night was the time set for electing the additional one and naming successors for the two whose terms expired on January 1st. As the other four resigned out of courtesy, however, seven vacancies were left. These were filled by the reelection of the old board consisting of S. B. Smith, William Heller, C. Sexton, S. Wiggin, A. F. Hall and William Street, and the selection of Nathan Dearborn.

### Choral Union, Attention!

The Janesville Choral Union will meet for rehearsal on Wednesday evening, at Apollo hall. This begins the second term. Gilmore's Band Concert music will be put in rehearsal at once by this society. All members, and all persons desiring to become members, are requested to be present promptly at 7:15 p. m. Members who are in arrears for last term's dues will please come prepared to pay. SECRETARY.

### The Weather.

At seven o'clock this morning the thermometer indicated 12 degrees above zero. Snowing with south wind. At 1 o'clock p. m., the reporter was 28 zero. Partly cloudy with south wind. For corresponding hours one year ago the register was 31 and 31 degrees above zero.

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### Evansville.

—With us the holidays have passed with no unusual excitement. The churches each had its Christmas tree with gifts for the children. The Methodists held theirs in the opera hall and a loaded boat was the vehicle of St. Nick. The Congregationalists had the form of the ancient tabernacle with the tree laden with gifts behind the altar. The Free Will Baptists had an old fashioned kitchen with the snow covered roof and brightly burning fire on the hearth. The Episcopals had a tree at the church with a social at the stately mansion of Dr. J. M. Evans. The Baptists held a banquet and gave their gifts at the commodious residence of the parson, Rev. Mr. Curry. New Years was most too cold for merry sleigh riding with mercury at 10 below zero, though a few young bloods did venture out with their best girls; and now and then a family sleigh load went to the old home for the New Year's dinner. The flag, draped in mourning at half-mast, conveyed the intelligence that the soldier and statesman, John A. Logan, was to hail the glad new year on the other shore. As announced in the papers, Rev. Mr. Wharton, Methodist, on Sunday morning preached a sermon on the life and character of the general, taking for his text, Jeremiah, 48th chapter, 17th verse: "All ye that are about him bemoan him; and all ye that know his name say how is the strong staff broken." Sutphen post occupied front seats in the body of the church, which was crowded, though a very cold morning. Rev. Wharton is a man with strong convictions and a command of language which makes him a pleasant man to listen to. His discourses are short, but full of thought, depicting a live man who puts the fire of burning eloquence into crisp, short sentences, reminding one of the words and sayings of Emerson.

—The Good Templars now meet in a neat and commodious hall over Biglow' & Bennie's hardware store and are in a prosperous condition, and more of our young people should become members, for one evening each week as a member of such a lodge is time well spent both for the present and for future usefulness as better citizens. The Debating club seems to be a prime institution and the hall is well filled with some of our best men and women well spiced with a younger class who come as willing listeners. Discussions will be held once a week during the winter.

—Hon. A. P. Lovejoy, of your city, was in town one day last week. Well, senator, there is plenty of hard work in the Wisconsin legislature this winter and strong minds must push bill questions. Call again.

TO RENT—A desirable suite of rooms for light housekeeping, located on South Main street. For particulars enquire a this office.

C. E. Bowles selects from his list of city houses for sale the following special bargains as being "leaders" at the prices named:

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| One at $4,000, | One at $1,800. |
| Three at $3,000, each, | One at $1,100. |
| One at $2,900, | One at $1,000. |

LOWER THAN EVER BEFORE—Read these prices: 16 pounds best granulated sugar, $1.00; choice coffee, 12½c best Tycoon tea, 40c; choice Jap tea, 25c; choice syrup, 30c; patent flour, $1.10; choice family flour, 85c; headlight oil, 12½c; best kerosene, 10c; best baking powders, 40c; good baking powder, 20c; best potatoes, 60c; best turnips, 15c; best prunes, 5c; best salt, $1.10 per bbl; best bird seed, 5c; best oysters, 20c per can; best crackers 5c; best plug tobacco, 40c; choice plug, 25c; choice smoking, 15c; corn starch, 8c; gloss starch, 6c; choice raisins, 8c; best currants, 8c; choice mixed and stick candy, 10c; mixed nuts, 15c; best soap, 5c; good soap 4c; new figs 12½c; gloves and mittens at cost. All other goods at cost.

W. T. VANKIRK,
Cheap cash grocer, 23 Main St.

Todd's Celebrated Ale.

In consideration of the present close times in money matters and in order to bring my ale more within the reach of all whose health requires the use of the same, I have reduced the price to $8 per barrel. Smaller packages at the same rate, delivered to any part of the city. JOHN G. TODD.

## COMMERCIAL NEWS.

### JANESVILLE MARKETS

Reported for the Gazette by Bump & Gray Grain and Produce Dealers.

JANESVILLE, Dec. 22, 1886

Receipts of grain continue light, and the market rules quiet at the following quotations:

FLOUR—Patent $4.25 per sack; Vienna $4.40
WHEAT—Winter 65@73c; spring 55@73c.
RYE—In good request at 50@52c per 56 lbs.
BARLEY—Choice samples 45@48c; common to fair quality 35@43c.
BUCKWHEAT—at 45@50c.
CORN—Shelled 53 lbs. 33@35c, new ear 75 lbs 32@34c.
HAY—Timothy for ton $7@8, other kinds 5@6. Baled hay $11.50 per ton.
GROUND FEED—80@90c per 100 lbs.
EGGS—Scarce, 17@18c per dozen
TIMOTHY SEED—$1.85@2.10 per 46 lbs.
POULTRY—Turkeys 6@6c; chickens 6@7c
CLOVER SEED—$4.00@4.30 per bushel.
HIDES—Green 7c@7½c. Dry 12@15c.
PELTS—Range at 30@75c each.
WOOL—Ranges at 29@30c ¼ off for unmerchantable.
OATS—White 29@30c; for mixed 28@29
MEAL—$0c per 100 lbs. Bolted $1 50
POTATOES—0@55c per bushel.
BUTTER—Good supply 16@2°c.
LIVE STOCK—Hogs $3.70@4.00. per. 100 lbs
Cattle $2 50@3 85

Ladies'
Leinad Kid
Waukemphast
$5.00.



Ladies'
Hand Turn and
Hand Welt
$4,00.

Men's
Calf and Kangaroo Hand Sewed
$6.50.

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$5.00

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ELEGANT WINTER SUITS
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To suit the times Agent for the
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THE FINE

Residence of the Late C. H. Conrad,

And the 1½ story house situated at 31 and 33 South Main street. The property cost $15,000. The large residence is one of the best built houses in the city, and is in good repair. The adjoining 1½ story house rents quick at $10.00 per month. In order to close up the estate they must be sold.

$5,000 Will Buy Them.

TERMS: One-third cash, the balance on long time at 6 per cent Call at the store and we will be glad to show the property.

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